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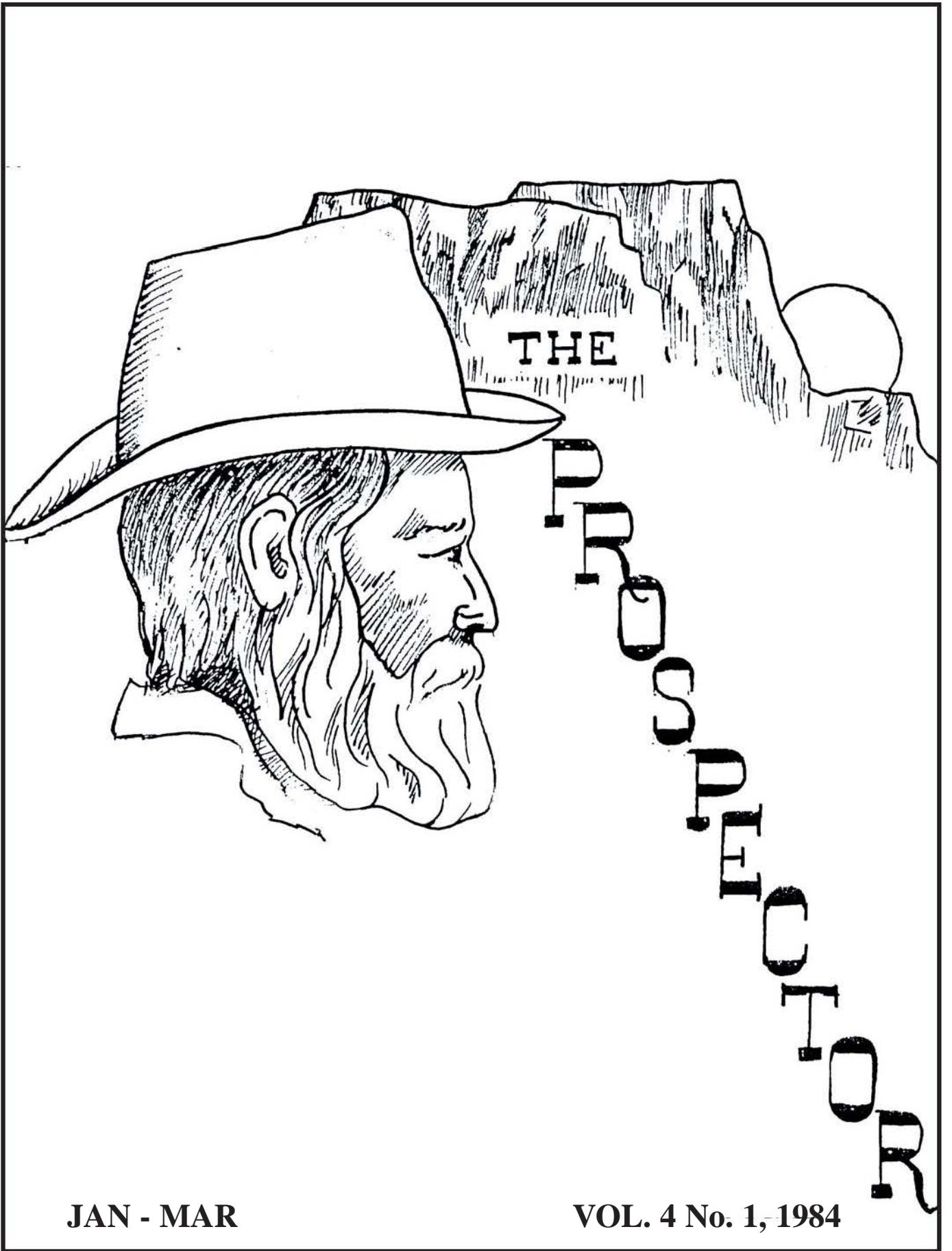
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A SPECIAL NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT

We hope that everyone is aware of individuals and groups that are selecting surnames from phone books and mailing letters and cards to these names all over the country stating that they have researched your particular surname and can provide you with the genealogy of your name. You as a genealogist are aware that this type of study takes many long hours and years and that it is not likely that a total stranger is interested enough in your surname to do an in-depth study except for a profit.

SO PLEASE BE AWARE!

Here are just a couple of groups or individuals that we are aware of: Beartice Baily, Sharon Taylor and Halbert's Inc. The average cost of these books is \$25.00 and up.

If you receive a letter or card of this type and want more information, please notify the following:

International Genealogical Consumer Organization
4329 St. Stafford
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THE MAILBAG

New book-*Descendants of Martin Benz-Dorthea Schmeller*^{lt} by John D. Benz. (Order blank available from the secretary).

From the Kentucky Historical Society... annual dues going from \$15.00 to \$18.00

"Car-Del Scribel!--primarily a query magazine covering all of the U.S., published bi-monthly, \$8,50 per year. Queries are free to members. Nov. 1983 issue has a five-year surname index. (Laura Folk has Nov. issue--call if you'd like details or a search of the index--649-6530).

The Genealogical Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, is requesting donations so that they may enlarge their holdings. Please send your tax-deductible contributions to:

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Any members who have books and periodicals that they are willing to share or check for others, please submit a list to the "Pr-ospect.or" so that we may publish it.

MEETING SCHEDULE 7:

- Feb 14
- Mar 13
- Apr 13

Attendance of the CCNGS meetings have been quite low during the past couple of months. Let's begin the New Year on the right foot by redoubling our efforts to support our Society by attending the monthly meetings---and bring a friend.

Births from the LAS VEGAS AGE (Continued from last issue)

NEWSPAPER DATA

May 1914 (exact date inknown)

SAKAI, Mr. & Mrs. Tom Matakich, boy, 28 May	Pg. 1, col.4
PAPPAS, Mr. & Mrs. William, boy, 9 May	Pg. 1, col.4
JONES, Mr. & Mrs. Alfred E., girl, 9 May	Pg. 1, col.4
GUTIERREZ, Mr. & Mrs. Pablo, girl, 9 May	Pg. 1, col.4

27 June 1914

FARNSWORTH, Mr. & Mrs. David, girl, 20 Jun Bettie Marjorie, in Los Angeles, CA.	Pg. 4, col.4
MOSBACH, Mr. & Mrs. C.P., girl, 24 Jun Helen Elwood	Pg. 4, col.4

11 July 1914

JONES, Mr. & Mrs. Eli, boy, 30 Jun MoreLand Endres	Pg. 1, col.3
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8 Aug 1914

FRANCIS, Mr. & Mrs. Floyd, boy, 3 Aug	Pg. 1, col.3
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15 Aug 1914

McLAUGHLIN, Mr. & Mrs. Frank C., girl, 12 Aug	Pg. 3, col.3
KIPFER, Mr. & Mrs. R.T., boy, 13 Aug	Pg. 3, col.3

16 Jan 1915

DUNLAP, Mr. & Mrs. J.P., son, 14 Jan Pg. 3, col.2,

30 Jan 1915

TEAGUE, Mr. & Mrs. W.E., girl 27 Jan Pg. 3, col.4

13 Mar 1915

SANDERSON, Mr. & Mrs. George, boy, 7 Mar Pg. 3, col.3

MILLER, Mr. & Mrs. John E., girl, 12 Mar Pg. 3, col.3

Date Unknown

McCALLUM, Mr. & Mrs. Henry E., girl, 3 Apr Pg. 4 col.3

OVERMAN, Mr. & Mrs. C.E., not stated, Pg. 1, col.4
in Gridley, CA., 3 May

27Sep1915

GRACE, Mr. & Mrs. Frank M., girl, 27 Sep Pg. ?
in San Diego, CA.

Date Unknown

PHILLIPS, Mr. & Mrs. George, girl, 10 Oct Pg. ?
Elizabeth Marguerite

LIDAY, Mr. & Nrs, John, boy, 11 Oct Pg. ?

PAULY, Mr. & Mrs. Peter, girl, 11 Oct Pg. ?
born in Moapa

20 Nov 1915

BERGMAN, Mr. & Mrs. George, boy, 13 Nov Pg. ?

18 Dec 1915

ULLOM **Mr. & Mrs.** George, boy'13 Dec Pg. 2, col.2
GALLOWAY, **Mr. & Mrs. C.P.**, boy, 14 Dec Pg. 2, col.2
WIGGINTON, **Mr. & Mrs. J.B.F.**, boy, 17 Dec Pg. 2, col.2

Date Unknown

PARK, **Dr. & Mrs. Wm. S.**, boy, 31 Dec Pg. 3, col.4

Date Unknown

STIVERS, **Mr. & Mrs. Harry**, girl, 4 Aug Pg. 3, col.2
DALTON, **Mr. & Mrs. B.H.**, boy, 28 Jul Pg. 3, col.2
in Cedar City, Utah
YOUNG, **Mr. & Mrs. R.J., Jr.**, boy, 3 Aug Pg. 3, col.4
In Los Angeles

10 Jul 1915

JOHNSON **Mr. & Mrs. Crayton**, boy, not stated Pg. 2, col.2
AVERETT, **Mr. & Mrs. John**, girl, not stated, Pg. 2, col.2

1916

HESS, **Mr. & Mrs. H. Loraine**, girl, 4 Feb Pg. 2, col.2
BALL, **Mr. & Mrs. S.W.**: boy 14 May Pg. ?
TISDIAL, **Mr. & Mrs. Clarence**, girl 14 May Pg. ?

13 May 1916

LEAVITT, **Mr. & Mrs. Newell**, boy 5 May Pg. ?

15 June 1916

MARSHALL, Mr. & Mrs. Edward, boy, 13 Jun Pg. ?

29 July 1916

DYKEMAN, mr. & Mrs. William, boy, 28 Jul Pg. ?

28 Oct 1916

DOTY, Mr. & Mrs. George, girl, 27 Oct Pg. ?

JONES, Mr. & Mrs. Eli, girl, 27 Oct Pg. ?

HADG, Mr. & Mrs. Edward Joseph, girl Pg. ?

10 Nov

24 June 1916

HARPENDING, Mr. & Mrs. L., girl, 17 Jun Pg. 2, col. 1
Ramone

NAY, Mr. & Mrs., girl, 20 Jun, in Moapa Pg. 2, col. 1

7 Oct 1916

ELWELL, Mr. & Mrs. W.H., girl, 3 Oct Pg. 4, col. 2

PETTY, Mr. & Mrs. D., boy, 14 Aug Pg. 2, col. 1

In Long Beach, CA.

GILLIAND, Mr. & Mrs. Ralph, boy, 10 Sep Pg. 4, col. 4

GORIN, Mr. & Mrs., J.e. boy, 14 Sep Pg. 4, col. 3

ENKING, Mr. & Mrs. O.J., girl, 23 Dec Pg. 2, col. 3

The following AHENTAFEL chart is submitted by Ramona Armstrong Duff. It is a continuation from the last issue.

208. Elijah TURNER, b. ca. 1747 Caroline Co., Virg.; m. ca. 1767; c. 1820
Bedford Co., Virginia
209. Sarah _____
212. Nathaniel WEBSTER, b. pre 1725 Henrico Co., Virg.; m. ca. 1745; d. ca. 1801
St. James Parish, Goochland Co., Virgo
213. Mary "Molly" STEELE, d. ca. 1805 Goochland Co., Virgo
214. Henry BAGBY, d. 1790 Powhatan Co., Virgo
220. Benjamin WILLOUGHBY/WILLOBY, b. ca. 1725
221. Susannah WYATT
222. Thomas Thomas LEACHMAN
223. Mary Elizabeth WYATT
232. Basil PRATHER, b. 20 Oct. 1742 Prince George's Co., Maryland; m. pre 1765
Frederick Co., Mary.; d. 7 Oct. 1822 Clark Co., Indiana
233. Clorenda ROBERTSON, b. 14 Aug. 1748 Frederick Co., Mary.; d. 12 July 1812
Clark Co., Indiana
234. Benjamin REDMAN, b. 3 Aug. 1750 Prince George's Co., Maryland; m. ca. 1773;
d. 1833 Bartholomew Co., Indiana
235. Anne WYNN, b. 30 April 1755 Prince George's Co., Mary.; d. 3 Sept. 1820
Clark Co., Indiana
236. Benjamin VEATCH/VEITCH, Jr. b. ca. 1760; m. ca. 1781
238. Freeman HILTON
248. Michael SHULTZ/S HOLTS, b. ca. 1750 New Jersey; m. #2. 1779; d. 1804 Somerset
Co., Penn.
249. Maria RUSH, b. Hunterdon Co., New Jersey; d. ca. 1795 Somerset Co., Penn.
250. Jacob KOOSER, b. 17 Nov. 1754 Berks Co., Penn.; m. Colebrookedale, Berks Co.,
Penn.; d. 1794/5 Milford twp., Somerset Co., Penn.
251. Mary SEMPLE or ANTHONY
256. Samuel DUFF, b. Scotland; m. ca. 1742; d. 17 May 1796 Washington Co., Virgo
257. Margaret MONTGOMERY, d. Washington Co., Virgo
340. William TERRY
341. Susan TURNER
342. William GADDIE/GADDY, b. 8 Jan. 1750 Bedford Co., Virg.; d. April 1829 Hart
Co., Kentucky
343. Sarah "Sally" BRYANT
440. William WILLOUGHBY, b. 1668 Dorchester Co., Maryland
442. William WYATT, d. 1762 Fauquier Co., Virgo
444. Thomas LEACHMAN
446. William WYATT (same as #442.)
464. Aaron PRATHER, b. 1710 Prince George's Co., Mary.; m. 10 Oct. 1738 Anne Arun-
del Co., Mary.; d. 27 Nov. 1797 Frederick Co., Mary.
465. Jane PRATHER (Aaron's cousin), b. 12 Sept. 1703 Prince George's Co., Mary.;
d. 1779 Maryland
466. Lloyd ROBERTSON
468. John REDMAN, b. 1716 Prince George's Co., Mary.; m. ca. 1745; d. Jan 1777
Prince George's Co., Maryland
469. Sarah KING
470. Josiah WYNN, b. 1 Feb. 1726 Prince George's Co., Mary.; d. 1763 Prince Geo-
rge's Co., Mary.
471. Ann DUNNING, b. ca. 1727/8 Prince George's Co., Mary.
472. Benjamin VEATCH, Sr., b. ca. 1729 Beall's Pasture, Mary.; m. 1755
473. Esther _____
498. Conrad RUSH, b. 1734
499. Joanna _____
512. Samuel Henry DUFF, b. 1727 Scotland; d. at sea
513. Elizabeth _____

684. Sherwood GADDY, b. ca. 1725 Lunenburg Co., Virg.; m. ca. 1748 Bedford Co., Virg.; d. ca. 1803 Bedford Co., Virgo
685. Mary BRIGHT, b. ca. 1735; d. ca. 1805/10 Bedford Co., Virgo
928. Thomas PRATHER, b. 1673; m. 1695; d. 1712 Prince George's Co., Maryland
929. Martha SPRIGG, b. 1677; d. 1742 Charles Co., Maryland
930. Jonathan PRATHER, Jr., b. 1662; d. 1736
931. Elizabeth BIGGER
936. John REDMAN (#3.), b. ca. 1688 Westmoreland Co., Virg.; d. March 1746 St. Mary's Co., Maryland
937. Rebecca _____
938. Francis KING
939. Margaret SPRIGG
940. John WYNN, b. 1680 St. Mary's Co., Mary.; m. 5 Feb. 1717; d. 21 March 1752 Prince George's Co., Maryland
941. Ann SMALLWOOD, b. ca. 1700/01; d. 20 Feb. 1752 Prince George's Co., Maryland
942. James DUNNING, b. ca. 1705 Prince George's Co., Maryland; m. 24 Jan. 1720; d. 1748
943. Ann ACTON, b. ca. 1705 Charles Co., Mary.; d. after 1750 Prince George's Co., Maryland
944. James VEATCH Sr., b. 1696; m. 1719; d. 1762
945. Rachel BEALL, b. 1703; d. 1766
996. John RUSH, b. 1717; d. 1768 Lancaster, Penn.
997. Elizabeth _____
1370. Edward BRIGHT, b. 1695 Goochland Co., Virg.; d. ca. 1784 Bedford Co., Virgo
1371. Rebecca _____
1856. Jonathan PRATHER, b. 1631 Virg.; m. 1654 Virg.; d. ca. 1680 Calvert Co., Mary.
1857. Jane GOLDSMITH/GOULDSMITH, b. ca. 1636 Virg.; d. 1713 Prince Geo. Co., Mary.
1858. Col. Thomas SPRIGG, b. ca. 1630 Northamptonshire, Eng.; d. 1704 Prince George's Co., Maryland
1859. Eleanor NUTHALL, b. 1648 Northampton Co., Virg.; d. ca. 1696 Maryland
1860. Jonathan PRATHER, (same as #1856)
1861. Jane GOLDSMITH, (same as #1857)
1862. John BIGGER
1872. John REDMAN (#2.), b. 1667; d. 1732
1880. Dr. John WYNN, immigrant, b. 1635; d. 1684
1881. Anne (#1. husband CAWOOD)
1882. William SMALLWOOD
1883. Elizabeth BREAD/BREED, b. 1681; d. 1705
1884. Terrance DUNNING, b. 1675, d. 1712
1885. Elizabeth MIDDLETOWN, b. 1680; d. 1719
1886. Henry ACTON, immigrant, b. 1677; d. 1742
1887. Anne (#1. husband GAMBRA)
1888. Nathan VEITCH/VEATCH, b. 1668; m. 1692; d. May 1705
1889. Ann CLAGETT, b. ca. 1672; d. ca. 1746
1890. Ninian BEALL, b. 1625 Scotland
1891. Ann GORDON
1992. Thomas RUSH, b. 1687
1993. Esther CRISPIN, b. 29 Sept. 1691
3712. Thomas PRATHER, immigrant, b. 1604 Wiltshire, Eng.; m. 1627/9 Virginia
3713. Mary McKAY/MACKEY
3714. George GOLDSMITH
3715. Mary _____
3716. ~~Thomas SPRIGG~~
3718. John NUTHALL, b. ca. 1615 England; d. pre 1667 St. Mary's Co., Maryland
3719. Elizabeth BACON, (#1. husband HOLLOWAY), d. Oct. 1669 St. Mary's Co., Mary.
3720. Thomas PRATHER, (same as #3712)

3721. Mary McKAY/MACKEY (same as #3713)
3744. John REDMAN (#1.) b. ca. 1621; d. ca. 1673
3745. Mary _____
3760. Richard WYNNE d. ca. 1652/3 Guisborough. Co. York, England
3761. Ann COLTHURST
3764. Col. James SMALLWOOD. b. ca. 1639 Eng.; d. pre 1714 Charles Co., Maryland
3765. Hester EVANS. b. Eng.; d. ca. 1693 Charles Co., Mary.
3766. John BREAD
3767. Jane COCKSHUTT
3768. James DUNNING. immigrant
3772. Henry ACTON
3773. Hannah CORBETT. b. 7 Jan. 1644 Condover. Shropshire, Eng.; d. 1685 Lebotwood. Shropshire. England
3774. James VEITCH. immigrant. b. 1628 Roxburghshire. Scotland; m. 1657 Maryland; d. 1685 Maryland
3775. Mary GAKERLIN
3776. Thomas CLAGETT. b. ca. 1635-40 England; d. 1703 Maryland
3777. Mary NUTTER. d. 1719
3778. Dr. James BEALL
3984. John RUSH. b. 1 May 1660 England
3986. Silas CRISPIN, immigrant. b. 1655 Landon. England; m. 1683 Penn.; d. 31 May 1711 Penn.
3987. Esther HOLME. immigrant. d. 17 April 1696 Philadelphia Co. • Penn.
7424. Thomas PRATHER. b. 1577; m. 1599 Wiltshire. Eng.; d. 1628
7425. Margaret QUINTYNE. b. 1578; d. 1628 Wiltshire, England
7546. Robert CORBETT
7547. Etheldra DRURY
7548. Malcolm VAITCHE
7552. Col. Edward CLAGGETT. b. 1605/6 Lord Mayor of Canterbury; d. 1663
7553. Margaret ADAMS. b. 25 Oct. 1616 London. England
7968. John RUSH. b. 1620 England; m. 8 June 1648; d. 1699 Byberry. Penn.
7969. Susanna LUCAS
7972. Capt. William CRISPIN. b. ca. 1627 Kingston-On-Hull. England; d. 1681 Barbadoes, West Indies
7973. Rebecca BRADSHAW. m. 28 Sept. 1652; d. ca. 1665 England
7974. Thomas HOLME. b. 3 Nov. 1624 Waterhead, Monk Coniston; d. 1695 Well Spring, Pennsylvania
7975. Sarah CROFT/CRAFTE. m. 5 Aug. 1649 Lancashire, Eng.; d. 1676 Limerick. Ireland
- 14,848. Anthony PRATHER. b. 1545; m. 1572; d. 1593
- 14,849. Judith IYVE. b. 1550; d. 16 Feb. 1578 Wiltshire, England
- 14,850. Henry QUINTYNE. b. Nushton. Wiltshire, England
- 14,851. Alice _____
- 15,092. Thomas CORBETT. from Longnor
- 15,093. Jane MORTON. of Haughton, Shropshire. England
- 15,096. Laird John VAICHE. m. 29 Oct. 1576; d. 1606 Dawick Castle. Scotland
- 15,097. Janet STEWART. b. 1555
- 15,104. George CLAGGETT. b. ca. 1570
- 15,105. Anne COLBRAND
- 15,106. Sir Thomas ADAMS. Lord Mayor of London
- 15,107. Ann MAPSTED
- 15,944. Capt. William CRISPIN. b. 1602 Kingston-On-Hull, Eng.; m. 1636; d. 1645 Ireland
- 15,945. Elizabeth HARRISON
- 15,946. Ralph BRADSHAW. b. 1610/11; m. 1630; d. 1669
- 15,947. Rachel PENN. bpt. 1607 England
- 15,948. George HOLME. b. 1592 Hawkshead, England; m. 1613; .d. 1630 Waterhead
- 15,949. Alice WHITESYDE. b. 21 April 1598 Poulton-le-Fylde. Lancashire, England

EDWARD LESTER, of Chino, was born in Covington, Ky., August 20th, 1828, the son of Joseph and Elizabeth Helms Lester, both natives of Yorkshire, England. They came to the United States in 1818 and settled in Indiana and later located in Covington, Ky. There Joseph Lester helped to build and worked in the first cotton factory erected west of the Allegheny mountains. In 1830 he removed to Hamilton county, Ohio, and settled on a farm where he lived until he died. He was the father of thirteen children.



EDWARD LESTER

Edward Lester started for California in 1852 via New Orleans, thence to Brownsville, Texas, and across Mexico to Xlaxatlan. There he took a sailing vessel for San Francisco. He worked for a time in the mines but not meeting with the success anticipated he went to farming.

In 1855 he left California and went to South America, where he located in Lima, Peru. Here he helped to start the first American brick yard in that country. In 1858 he returned to the United States and settled in Lavaca county, Texas, where he engaged in farming until the outbreak of the Civil war. As he was a strong Union man, he felt obliged to leave the state rather than to go into the rebel army. As it was too late to reach the north with his family, he crossed the border into Mexico and traveled across that country to Guaymas where, with others, he bought an open boat, and came up the Gulf to the mouth of the Colorado river and from there to Yuma by steamer. There he secured an ox team for his family and reached El Monte, Los Angeles county, in 1862. He farmed in this vicinity for three years, and in San Luis Obispo county for nine years. He then located at Rincon and purchased land from various parties until he now has 525 acres of

land, and has for many years conducted a successful stock business.

Mr. Lester was married in 1859 to Miss Ellen Clegg, of Cincinnati, Ohio, her parentage being English. She was killed by an accidental fall in Pomona in 1880. There were five children by this marriage, Joseph, of Rincon; Anne R., wife of Max Dietrich, of Sorrento, San Diego county; William, (deceased); George H., of Santa Barbara; Agnes, Mrs. Myron Pine, of San Bernardino.

• In 1881, Mr. Lester married Miss Mary Taylor, of San Dimas, a native of New York.

Edward Lester is my father's maternal great-grandfather.

This biographical sketch came from page 699 of "History of San Bernardino County 1769 to 1904" by L. A. Ingersoll; Los Angeles, 1904.

This book has many illustrations and portraits, as well as numerous biographies, and has a very good index.

Anyone wishing me to check the index for surnames, should call Laura Folk at 649-6530. I intend to send the book to be rebound, so try and call very soon.

QUERIES

Policy: Annual membership dues of the CCNGS are \$8.00 per year, which includes a subscription to the PROSPECTOR. Non-members may purchase copies of the PROSPECTOR for \$1.50 per issue.

BRINTON, McCAIN

Need parents of Robert McCAIN, b. ca. 1784 in IN. Marr. Sarah BRINTON, b. ? in KY. Had son Nelson McCAIN, b. 12 Feb 1831, Putnam Co., IN.

Laura FOLK, 2725 E. Tonopah Av., No. Las Vegas, NV. 89030

CAGE

Need Parents, siblings of Charles CAGE, b. ca. 1856, in VA. He marr. Florence ?, b. ca. 1858 in MO. They are in Martinsburg, Berkely Co., WV, with ch. Charles, Rosa and Daniel in 1880 Census.

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BURCH GRIFFIN, MOORE

Margaret GRIFFIN, b. 17 Nov 1851, in MO.; marr. John Samuel MOORE, 1 Feb 1874. Margaret PARNET. Richard E. GRIFFIN, b. 5 Jul 1816, KY., Hannah BURCH, b. 1 Oct 1816, Stokes Co., N.C.

Shirley Jaquess AYO, 1400 Pyramid Dr., Las Vegas, NV. 89108

ANDERSON, McCOY

Need info. on ancestors of Thomas ANDERSON, b. 24 May 1808, TN.; marr. 9 Apr 1835, Mary McCOY, in Lawrence Co., IN. Thomas d. 17 Jan 1890 pl. unknown. Ch: Marena b. 1837; Enoch h. 1839; Clarissa (Clara) b. 11 Jul 1844; Marietta (Mary E.), b. 9 Jan 1847; Thomas b. 1850; Daniel b. 12 May 1852; Enoch, b. 1858.

Linda McEWEN, 1112 Nassau Dr., Las Vegas, NV. 89108